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SUBJECT: GUATEMALA HUMAN RIGHTS LEAHY AMENDMENT VETTING REQUEST -
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The Military Group at Embassy Guatemala has identified the following individual to participate as Guest Instructor at the Western Hemisphere Institute for Security Cooperation, Fort Benning, Georgia, July 30, 2009 to August 30, 2011. Embassy conducted its own review and found no credible information that the individual below has been involved in gross human rights violations. Please conduct human rights vetting and advise of any results by July 27, 2009.

NAME: Rony Ariel RAMIREZ MAZARIEGOS
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